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Prince, British, for New York. December 30, steamship *Olbers*, Belgian, for New York; barkentine *Good News*, American, for Baltimore.

Respectfully,

W. HAVELBURG, M. D.,

Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,

U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

BRAZIL.

[Cablegram.]

RIO DE JANEIRO, *January 28, 1900.*

Quarantine against Rio raised.

HAVELBURG,

Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,

U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

Smallpox in Pernambuco.

BARBADOS, *January 20, 1900.*

SIR: I have to report that Pernambuco was on the 16th instant declared infected with smallpox, a bill of health dated December 29, 1899, having been received here, indorsed by the British consul at Pernambuco. During the fortnight ended December 15, 5 deaths from smallpox were reported.

Antigua has imposed quarantine against Lisbon and taken it off Bahia.

Respectfully,

J. F. MCKINSTRY,

Clerk, Quarantine Board.

DOMINION OF CANADA.

Smallpox in the Province of Quebec.

MONTREAL, *January 18, 1900.*

The present status of the smallpox outbreak in this province is as follows:

Municipality.	County.	Population.	Date of outbreak.	New cases since last report. ^(a)	Total cases since outbreak.	Died.	Recovered.	Still sick.	Houses infected since outbreak.	Houses still infected.
St. Philippe de Néri.....	Kamouraska	1,049	Aug. 18	4	6	0	2	4	4	3
Mont-Carmel.....	.....do.....	1,075	Sept. 5	0	196	0	196	0	49	0
St. Paschal.....	.....do.....	3,109	Oct. 15	0	24	0	23	1	4	1
Ste. Hélène.....	.....do.....	1,515	Nov. 15	0	3	0	3	0	1	0
St. Germain.....	.....do.....	600	.....do.....	0	31	0	28	3	7	1
Amqui.....	Matane.....	2,500	Dec. 16	0	2	0	.....	2	1	1
Mann.....	Bonaventure	808	Jan. 16 ^b	1	1	0	.....	1	1	1
Shoolbred and Nouvelle	.....do.....	2,150	Jan. 16 ^b	1	1	0	.....	1	1	1
Montreal City.....	.....	275,000	Jan. 16	1	1	0	.....	1	1	(c)

^a Date of last report January 3.

^b Approximately.

^c Hospital.

The origin of the outbreaks in Mann and in Shoolbred and Nouvelle is being investigated by our inspector.

The Montreal patient is an individual who, on December 30, left

Campbellton, a town in New Brunswick, situated on the Restigouche River opposite Mann.

Respectfully,
 ELZÉAR PELLETIER,
Secretary Board of Health of the Province of Quebec.
 The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

CUBA.

Reports from Cienfuegos, Casilda, and Santa Cruz del Sur.

CIENFUEGOS, CUBA, *January 22, 1900.*

SIR: I have the honor to report that during the week ended January 20, 19 deaths have occurred in this city, 3 from malaria, 5 from intestinal diseases, and 1 from tuberculosis. Nine of these deaths were in the civil hospital. Death rate for the week is 24.76. No contagious diseases reported in the city. Inspected 8 foreign vessels during the week and issued 6 bills of health. Inspected and passed 250 bundles of hides, shipped to Hamburg, Germany, via New York, on the steamship *City of Washington*.

Casilda.—Dr. Alejandro Cantero reports 10 deaths in the city of Trinidad, 3 from malaria, 2 from intestinal diseases, and 2 from tuberculosis. The total number of cases of varioloid has reached 34; no deaths have occurred; nearly all are convalescent. Am very careful about allowing any baggage, especially bedclothing, to be moved by any of the patients from their houses. No foreign vessels have been inspected at this port during the week.

Santa Cruz del Sur.—Dr. Juan R. Xiques reports 1 death during the week, from malaria; no contagious diseases reported. Steamship *Volund* from Barranquilla, inspected at this port during the week.

Respectfully,
 J. M. LINDSLEY,
Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.
 The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

Report from Havana.

HAVANA, CUBA, *January 23, 1900.*

SIR: I have the honor to submit the following sanitary report for the week ended January 20, 1900:

Two cases of yellow fever were reported during the week and no deaths. Four cases remained under treatment on January 20, 1900. This is a very satisfactory showing and is a marked decrease from the previous week.

There were 81 deaths from all causes reported during the week, showing a mortality of 19.13 per thousand. These figures compare favorably with the mortality of most large cities in other parts of the world. The weather has continued cool with considerable rain.

The Spanish steamship *Santanderino* arrived from Liverpool and Spanish ports on the 15th instant, with 2 cases of smallpox on arrival at this port. As already reported, the vessel was immediately sent to Mariel Quarantine Station, where the passengers and nonimmune members of the crew were disembarked, and the vessel returned to this port for disinfection, after which she was released from quarantine and permitted to discharge her cargo.

Bureau telegram stating that all quarantine restrictions at Miami